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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUBJECT:

Applicant:

Donald G. Parent

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SYSTEM FOR COATING INSULATIVE SUBSTRATES

Group:

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Bueker, Richard R.

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## Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a RESPONSE in reply to the Office Action mailed December 2, 2004 in the subject application. Also enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time Within the Third Month and a check in the amount of \$510.00 for the filing fee for a small entity, as well as a check in the amount of \$100.00 for one independent claim in excess of three. Also enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c) is an Information Disclosure Citation in an Application, Form PTO-A820, citing eighteen (18) references, and a check in the amount of \$180.00.

If for any reason this RESPONSE or Information Disclosure Citation are found to be INCOMPLETE, or if at any time it appears that a TELEPHONE CONFERENCE with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts at (781) 890-5678.

If any payment during prosecution is found to be incorrect, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to my Deposit Account No. 09-0002. A copy of this letter is enclosed for use by the Finance Branch in the event that it is necessary to make any charge or credit to my deposit account.

In addition, pursuant to Rule 1.136(a)(3), the Office is hereby authorized to treat any future reply requiring an extension of time as incorporating a request therefor. Also, any request

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or Petition for an Extension of Time notwithstanding an inadvertent reference in the Petition to a shorter period of time is to be treated as requesting the appropriate length of time.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by returning the enclosed self-addressed postcard.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. Thompkins, Jr.

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